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Dear Mr. Secchio,

You have read PHOTOGRAPHIC WHITEWASH carelessly or you are taking the word of another without reading it.

I print two of the reports I rescued from oblivion on Mrs. Arnold. The first is the FBI agent's misrepresentation. That is the one you cite. The second is the FBI's retyped copy of her personal statement. The second places the time much later, as I recall about 12:25.

Moreover, you are obviously depending on an undependable source in your reference to Rowland, not to WHITEWASH II. Rowland saw men at two different windows, that one and another, the west one, on the fifth floor.

I haven't the slightest idea who those men were. The one thing of which I am certain is that Oswald was not at either window and could not have been.

I am as busy as you say. Also without subsidy. Therefore, if you find it necessary to ask further questions, please include a stamped, addressed envelope.

Others, as I'm sure you know, also reported seeing unidentified men at that sixth-floor window. The Carolyn Arnold identification is but one of the problems officials faced in making it seem that Oswald was there. If this is what you are addressing, use the index of WHITEWASH under Marrion Baker and Roy Truly. More than this, Victoria Adams was at those steps. None saw Oswald coming down.

Sincerely,

Harold Weisberg